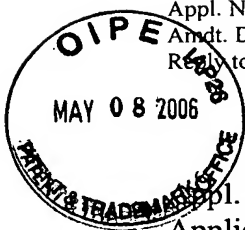


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AMENDMENT "C"

Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Office action dated February 8, 2006 (Paper No. 02032006). The three-month period for responding to the Office action expires on May 8, 2006.

Please amend the above-identified application in the following manner.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 7 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following page 13 of this paper.

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